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FM AMEMBASSY NAIROBI

TO SECSTATE WASHDC 8559 (SIMULATED)

COMIDEASTFOR

USS AYLWIN

PLO MOMBASA

INFO AMEMBASSY ADDIS ABABA

AMEMBASSY DAR ES SALAAM

AMEMBASSY MOGADISCIO

AMEMBASSY KHARTOUM

C O N F I D E N T I A L NAIROBI 6743

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SUBJECT: SHAMAL XXII EXERCISE: DECLARATION OF ESA EVACUATION

THROUGH MOMBASA. (SIMULATED TIME OF RECEIPT 092200Z AUG)

1. SIMULATED. INTERNAL SITUATION HAS WORSENEED DRAMATICALLY IN LAST SEVERAL HOURS. REPORTS REACHING EMBASSY INDICATE ANARCHIC CONDITIONS PREVAIL IN LARGE AREAS OF KENYA. ATTACKS ON NON-AFRICANS NOW WIDESPREAD AND GROWING. IN VIEW DETERIORATING CONDIONS AND DECLINING ABILITY OF GOK TO PROVIDE PROTECTION FOR FOREIGNERS WE HAVE DETERMINED THAT IN ABSENCE UTILIZATION OFH AIRPORTS AN EVACUATION BY SEA THROUGH MOMBASA IS NECESSARY TO SAFEGUARD LIVES OF U.S. CITIZENS.

2. SIMULATED. IN ACCORDANCE E&E PLAN APPROXIMATELY 1,000 UP-COUNTRY AMERICANS BEING NOTIFIED TO GATHER AT PROVINCIAL ASSEMBLY POINTS ASAP FOR ROAD JOURNEY TO FIRST STOP SAFEHAVEN IN NAIROBI. MOTOR VEHICLE CONVOY COMPRISED MAINLY OF AMERICAN-OWNED AUTO-MOBILES WILL DEPART NAIROBI AUG. 11, ARRIVING MOMBASA FOLLOWING DAY. EMBASSY ESTIMATES AS MANY AS 6,000 EVACUEES MAY REQUIRE SEA TRANSPORTATION TO SAFEHAVEN PORT.

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3. SIMULATED. POST IMPLEMENTING CHECK-LIST PROCEDURES
(PHASES I-IV) IN ANNEX B E&E PLAN FOR PROGRESSIVE EMERGENCY
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